

**RESOLUTION No.**

**35750**

Recognition of Gretchen Miller Kafoury for her dedication to public service and the citizens of Portland (Resolution)

WHEREAS, Gretchen Miller Kafoury has served with dignity and compassion as a Portland City Commissioner since 1991, and

WHEREAS she has worked tirelessly in that capacity to execute the duties of office, and

WHEREAS she has been recognized as the conscience of City government and the inspiration for a generation of community activists, and

WHEREAS she has served as Commissioner-in-Charge of the Bureaus of Planning, Fire, Rescue, and Emergency Services, Buildings, Neighborhood Involvement, Housing and Community Development, Licenses, Emergency Communications, the Metropolitan Human Rights Commission, and the Regional Arts and Culture Council, and

WHEREAS she has also been the City's liaison to Future Focus, Metro, Multnomah County Animal Control, the Film and Video Industry, MPAC, Elders in Action, and various other community organizations, and

WHEREAS she has tirelessly, emphatically, and energetically advocated for the rights of all citizens, especially for those in need of affordable housing, and

WHEREAS Gretchen Miller Kafoury has carried on and begat a proud family tradition of civic involvement, education, and political activism, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT we, the City Council of Portland, Oregon, do join with the citizenry of our community and hereby commend and honor Gretchen Miller Kafoury for gracing our Council Chambers and our City with her talents and her service which has always been in the public interest, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the City Council pledges to continue her good work in the areas of service to the least served in our community, to advocate for affordable housing for all, to work and play well together at all times, and to let common sense prevail in our deliberations

Adopted by the Council  
Comm. Francesconi  
12/21/98

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**BARBARA CLARK**  
Auditor of the City of Portland  
By

*Britta Olson*  
Deputy

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INTRODUCED BY	DATE FILED
Mayor Katz, Comm Francesconi, Hales, and Sten jointly	DEC 21 1998
NOTED BY COMMISSIONER	Barbara Clark Auditor of the City of Portland
Affairs	By <u>Clay Kershner</u> Deputy
Finance and Administration <i>WJ</i>	For Meeting of _____
Safety <i>Charlie Hales SD</i>	ACTION TAKEN
Utilities <i>JF/KJG</i>	
Works <i>EKS</i>	
BUREAU APPROVAL	
Bureau	
Prepared by _____ Date 12/21/98	
Budget Impact Review	
___ Completed ___ Not Required <b>XX</b>	
Bureau Head	

AGENDA		FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS	
Consent	Regular		YEAS	NAYS
		Francesconi <i>JF/KJG</i>	✓	
		Hales	✓	
		Kafoury <i>PH SD</i>		✓
		Sten <i>EKS</i>	✓	
		Katz <i>OK</i>	✓	
NOTED BY				
City Attorney				
City Auditor				
City Engineer				